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Dear Sir/Madam,

In compliance with the duty under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the enclosed materials are brought to the Examiner's attention for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form SB08A be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to MPEP 609, Applicants request that a copy of the SB08A form, initialed as being considered by the Examiner, be returned to the Applicants with the next official communication. Applicants also bring to the Office's attention the existence of the following recently abandoned or co-pending related applications: (1) application no. 10/703,817 filed November 6, 2003, published as US2005-0118117 A1 on June 2, 2005 (Attorney Docket: SEQ-4061-UT, Examiner Sarae L. Bausch), (2) application no. 10/703,789 filed November 6, 2003, published as US2005-0064440 A1 on March 24, 2005,



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